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- 3. Specification 41 Pages (1x)
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- 7. Executed Form PTO/SB/35 1 Page (1x)
- 8. IDS Cover Sheet 1 Page (1x)
- 9. Form PTO/SB/35 Information Disclosure Statement 1 Page (1x)
- 10. U.S. Patent 6,243,691 as a Patent Reference

The applicants claim small entity status.

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